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POLYOLEFIN MOLDING COMPOSITIONS
HAVING A BROAD MELTING RANGE

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 6, 2002, the applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 15, 17-19, 21-25 and 27-32 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph.
Claims 15, 17-19, 21-25 and 27-32 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.
Claim 32 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, fourth paragraph. Claims 15, 17-19, 21-25 and 27-31 were rejected under the judicially created Doctrine of Obviousness-Type Double Patenting as being unpatentable over claims of U.S. Patent No. 5,700,866, hereinafter referred to as "Winter '866". The applicants respectfully traverse these rejections.